

Exercise 1

1. Triangle inequality:

For $x, y \in V$:

$$\|x+y\| = \sqrt{\langle x+y, y+x \rangle}$$

$$\|x+y\|^2 = \langle x+y, y+x \rangle$$

$$= \langle x, y \rangle + \langle x, x \rangle + \langle y, y \rangle + \langle y, x \rangle$$

$$= \langle x, x \rangle + 2\langle x, y \rangle + \langle y, y \rangle$$

$$= \|x\|^2 + 2\langle x, y \rangle + \|y\|^2 \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$(\|x\| + \|y\|)^2 = \|x\|^2 + 2\|x\| \cdot \|y\| + \|y\|^2 \dots \dots \textcircled{2}$$

$\textcircled{1}$ and $\textcircled{2}$: $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$

Hence, $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ for all $x, y \in V$

2. Absolute homogeneity:

For $x \in V$, $s \in \mathbb{R}$:

$$\|sx\| = \sqrt{\langle sx, sx \rangle} = \sqrt{s^2 \langle x, x \rangle} = |s| \|x\|$$

Hence, $\|sx\| = |s| \|x\|$ for all $x \in V$ and all scalars s .

3. Positive definiteness:

For $x \in V$:

$$\|x\| = \sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle} \geq 0$$

Hence, $\|x\| \geq 0$ for all $x \in V$. Then $\|\cdot\|$ is a norm.

Exercise 2

Q1

For $x, a, b \in \mathbb{R}^n$:

$$\nabla_x (x^T a b^T x) = \frac{d}{dx} (x^T a b^T x)$$

Let $f(x) = x^T a b^T x$:

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + \Delta x)^T a b^T (x + \Delta x) - x^T a b^T x}{\Delta x}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^T a b^T x + x^T a b^T \Delta x + \Delta x^T a b^T x + \Delta x^T a b^T \Delta x - x^T a b^T x}{\Delta x}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^T a b^T \Delta x + \Delta x^T a b^T x + \Delta x^T a b^T \Delta x}{\Delta x}$$

$$= (a b^T x)^T + x^T a b^T$$

$$= x^T b a^T + x^T a b^T$$

$$= a^T x b^T + b^T x a^T$$

Q2.

For $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$:

$$\nabla_x (x^T B x) = \frac{d}{dx} (x^T B x)$$

Let $f(x) = x^T B x$:

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + \Delta x)^T B (x + \Delta x) - x^T B x}{\Delta x}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^T B x + x^T B \Delta x + \Delta x^T B x + \Delta x^T B \Delta x - x^T B x}{\Delta x}$$

$$= x^T B + (Bx)^T$$

$$= x^T B + B^T x^T$$

$$= x^T (B + B^T)$$

Exercise 3

$\because A, B$ are symmetric, positive definite matrixes.

$$\therefore x^T A x, x^T B x > 0 \dots\dots \textcircled{1}$$

For $\forall x \in V \setminus \{0\}, p, q > 0; \dots\dots \textcircled{2}$

$$x^T (pA + qB)x = x^T pA x + x^T qB x$$

$$= p x^T A x + q x^T B x$$

$$p x^T A x + q x^T B x > 0 \dots\dots \textcircled{1} \text{ and } \textcircled{2}$$

Hence, $pA + qB$ is symmetric and positive definite.

Exercice 4

Q1

$$\begin{aligned} L(\theta, c) &= (y - x\theta - c)^T A (y - x\theta - c) + \theta^T B \theta + c^T A c \\ &= y^T A y - y^T A x \theta - y^T A c - (x\theta)^T A y + (x\theta)^T A x \theta \\ &\quad + (x\theta)^T A c - c^T A y + c^T A x \theta + c^T A c + \theta^T B \theta + c^T A c \\ &= y^T A y - 2y^T A x \theta - 2y^T A c + 2(x\theta)^T A c + 2c^T A c \\ &\quad + (x\theta)^T A x \theta + \theta^T B \theta \\ &= y^T A y - 2y^T A x \theta - 2y^T A c + 2\theta^T x^T A c + 2c^T A c \\ &\quad + \theta^T x^T A x \theta + \theta^T B \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla L(\theta, c) &= -2y^T A x + 2(x^T A c)^T + \theta^T (x^T A x + c x^T A x)^T \\ &\quad + \theta^T (B + B^T) \\ &= -2y^T A x + 2c^T A x + 2\theta^T x^T A x + 2\theta^T B \end{aligned}$$

Q2

$$-2y^T A x + 2c^T A x + 2\theta^T x^T A x + 2\theta^T B = 0$$

$$2\theta^T(x^T A x + B) = 2(y^T A x - C^T A x) \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\theta(x^T A x + B^T) = x^T A^T y - x^T A^T C \dots \dots \textcircled{1}/2 \text{ and Transpose}$$

$$\theta(x^T A x + B) = x^T A y - x^T A C \dots \dots A, B \text{ are positive definite matrices.}$$

If $x^T A x + B$ is a positive definite matrix,

then $x^T A x + B$ is invertible.

For $\forall w \in V \setminus \{0\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} w^T (x^T A x + B) w \\ = w^T (x^T A x) w + w^T B w \end{aligned}$$

$$\because \|x\|^2 := \langle x, x \rangle_A \quad \langle x, x \rangle_A := x^T A x$$

$$\text{let } x^T A x \text{ as } z: \quad \langle y, y \rangle_z := \|y\|^2 > 0 \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\because B \text{ is positive, definite matrix, } y^T B y > 0 \dots \dots \textcircled{2}$$

$\textcircled{1}$ and $\textcircled{2}$: $x^T A x + B$ is a positive, definite matrix

Hence, $x^T A x + B$ is invertible.

$$\text{Therefore, } \theta = (x^T A y - x^T A C) (x^T A x + B)^{-1}$$

Q3

$$L(\theta, c) = y^T A y - 2y^T A x \theta - 2y^T A c + 2\theta^T x^T A c + 2c^T A c \\ + \theta^T x^T A x \theta + \theta^T B \theta \quad \dots \text{From Q1}$$

$$\nabla_c L(\theta, c) = -2y^T A + 2\theta^T x^T A + 2c^T (A + A^T) \\ = -2y^T A + 2\theta^T x^T A + 4c^T A$$

Q4

$$\therefore \nabla_c L(\theta, c) = 0$$

$$\therefore -2y^T A + 2\theta^T x^T A + 4c^T A = 0$$

$$2c^T A = y^T A - \theta^T x^T A$$

$$2c A^T = y A^T - A^T x \theta \quad \dots \text{Transpose.}$$

$$2c A = A y - A x \theta$$

$$c = A^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} A y - \frac{1}{2} A x \theta \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (y - x \theta) \quad \dots \dots A \text{ is positive definite Matrix.}$$

Q5

$$\theta = (x^T A y - x^T A c) (x^T A x + B)^{-1} \quad \dots \dots \text{From Q2}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} A = I \\ c = 0 \\ B = \lambda I \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\theta = (x^T I y - 0) \cdot (x^T I x + \lambda I)^{-1}$$

$$= (x^T I y) (x^T I x + \lambda I)^{-1}$$

$$= (x^T x + \lambda I)^{-1} x^T y$$